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09/980,271 Application No.: Examiner: Brown, Rueben M. *\$\text{a}\tau\text{a}\tau\text{a}\tau\text{a}\tau\text{a}\ta\ta\text{a}\ta\text{a}\ta\text{a}\ta\text{a}\ta\ta\text{a}\ta\text{a}\ta\text{a}\ta\text{a}\t* Group/Art Unit: 2623 Filed: November 30, 2001 Atty. Dkt. No: 5266-09100 Inventor(s): Alain Delpuch I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date indicated Title: FLEXIBLE INTERFACE FOR SECURE INPUT OF Rory D. Rankin PIN CODE Registered Representative September 11, 2006 Date

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